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ON APRIL 14, WE DISCUSSED THE QUESTION OF OPENING A
FRANCOPHONE CONSULAR ESTABLISHMENT IN DJIBOUTI WITH
QUAI DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR AFRICA CLAUDE HAREL. HE SAID
THE THOUGHT HAD OCCURRED TO THE FRENCH BUT THAT GIVEN
THE FACT THAT NO FRENCH-SPEAKING MODERATE COUNTRY
HAS ANY DIRECT INTEREST IN THE HORN, THEY HAD DONE
NOTHING FURTHER. THE FRENCH MADE APPROACHES ON OPENING
CONSULATES ONLY TO MODERATE ARABS; NO BLACK AFRICAN
COUNTRY HAS RAISED THE MATTER WITH THE FRENCH. HOWEVER,
HAREL SAID, IN LIGHT OF OUR THOUGHTS ON THE QUESTION,
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IT DESERVED FURTHER CONSIDERATION. HE PROMISED TO
RAISE IT IMMEDIATELY WITH HIS SUPERIORS. HE MENTIONED
IVORY COAST AND SENEGAL AS POSSIBLE CANDIDATES AND
REMARKED THAT IF AN APPROACH WERE TO BE MADE, BOTH
COUNTRIES WOULD BE MIFFED IF THE FRENCH WERE NOT THE
ONES TO MAKE IT.
HARLAN

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